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"Our Town"

by J. B. WHITE

Nearly a hundred years ago in 1846 the first prohibition law was enacted in the United States, in Maine. This statute was an act to license the number of places according to population where alcoholic drinks could be sold. It is interesting to note that from this early inception of the age old question the drys, then called blue noses, were never satisfied with regulation. The intolerance of the dry view point has always looked to the ultimate in bott prohibition and enforcement. In the succeeding years Prohibition is a game of checkers played upon the board of politics and society. Alternate enactment and repeal is the history of the movement. The history of the movement has proven that once the drys get control they go beyond the good principle of temperance and when unrestrained have gone so far as to make by law criminals of men who dared exercise the personal freedoms guaranteed under the American system. Finally when national prohibition came it was by legislative ratification and not all the states ratified. This left open the question of states rights, a principle which ought always to govern except in instances of delegated powers. Texas under prohibtion went so far as to enact a law which said possession of alcoholic drinks was proof that it was possessed for the purpose of sale. In the shameful interim between total insanity and repeal many man, thousands of them, were put in prison for no reason except they still held that exercise of personal freedom was God given and guaranteed under the flag. Prohibition as a political issue put more sorry people in office than the Ku Klux because it lasted longer. Men's qualifications were judged on the grounds of whether they were for or against prohibition. The age of national prohibition was a decade of shameful national crime and racketeering, a rampant disease which cost us more lives than World War No. 1. The absence of regulation and control made a world into which the criminal walked and grew so powerful he challenged the government and got away with it. No sane man will now say that Prohibtion kept down or stopped the consumption of alcoholic beverages. Instead it increased consumption in stratas of society theretofore never related to the evils of strong drink. The repeal of the 18th Amendment was to restore order and to bring under control and regulation a traffic which when unrestrained because in the hands of irresponsible people, became a national menace. If Milam county votes dry on April 8th it will be a Bootlegger's paradise. Every county surrounding Milam will be wet. There will be corruption and crime. If you doubt it ask the known bootleggers how they will vote on April 8th. We can answer that for you. They are voting dry. Let's look briefly at what some have said—men in whom you have the utmost confidence to be both frank and weil informed. Recently General George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff of the United States Army said: "Our present manner of control of liquor has been found to be far more effective than strict prohibition, which furnishes a fertile field of bootlegger operation." Again J. Edgar Hoover, Chief of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, recently wrote as follows: "Evil as were the consequences of the gang terrorism of a generation ago, a recurrence of such conditions in war time would be far more injurious to our country." As late as January 16, 1944, the Dallas News, eighth ranking newspaper in the world, and a champion of the dry cause before the horrors of prohibition in operation were revealed, in an editorial said: "Widespread bootlegging would endanger the health of thousands of fighting men and war workers. To cope with racketeers, we would be forced to draw policemen directly from the ranks of the armed forces. Precious sugar, grain, rubber, gasoline and other strategic materials would be squandered in the manufacture of illicit booze. Worst of all, a recurrence of criminal lawlessness here at home would betray the very ideal we are fighting for on foreign fronts." Again we repeat: Have we the moral right to raise a question of such controversial import when the men who are fighting for us can have no voice in its outcome?

REDS REACH FOOTHILLS CARPATHIAN MOUNTAINS

Plunging to the foothills of the Carpathian mountains, Russian troops Tuesday captured the Prut river rail town of Kolomea, only 30 miles from Czecho-Slovakia, and last night were reported by Moscow to be fighting in the suburbs of Czernowitz, capital of Bucovina, after crossing the Prut 50 miles down river from Kolomea.

Three hundred miles southeast across the Ukraine, another Soviet army pounded from captured Nikoloev toward the great Black Sea port of Odessa and was pictured as herding beaten German masses before it. Moscow dispatches declared crack Wehrmacht divisions stampeding in some sectors.

For a long stretch of the lower Prut river where it forms the boundary between Russia and Rumania proper, Red army forces were drawn up for the third straight day in an ominous breathing spell while Moscow urged the Rumanians to turn against Hitler and spare themselves military disaster. At no point, apparently, had the Red army invaded what the Russians considered Rumanian territory.

Nazis positions in a great semicircle around Odessa appeared to be collapsing as the Russians tore into them from three main directions — from Balti, Balta and Voznesensk — in advances that swept up more than 150 localities yesterday.

A Berlin dispatch by the German agency DNB said Tuesday that Premier Marshal Stalin is ill and "doctors fear he may have another collapse soon." However, there has been no confirmation from Moscow or other Allied quarters of this German report.

Has Sergeant Rank

SGT. WILLIAM C. LUDWIG

Sgt. William C. Ludwig was inducted into the army on July 12, 1942, and has made good progress. At present he is stationed at Lincoln, Neb. He was promoted to Private first class within 2 weeks after he entered the serivce and in May 1943, was promoted to Corporal and a year later was made Sergeant.

When he reported for duty he was sent to Soldier's Field at Monterey, Calif., where after 8 days he was transfered to Kerns, Utah. He spent 4 weeks at the Salt Lake City air port and 3 weeks at Camp Adair in Oregon and before going to Lincoln was at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Red Cross Rally Friday Night at The Milano School

A Red Cross rally will be held Friday night in the auditorium of the Milano High School, it was announced early Thursday by H. H. Pruett, Superintendent.

Mr. Pruett said that all funds realized from the entertainment will be given to the Red Cross. The Milano community is staging the party to help raise funds to reach the quota for the Red Cross War drive.

Amateur night, a program which has proven interesting everywhere will feature the evening. A box supper is being arranged also. The public is invited to attend this show.

EQUAL FEDERAL OLD AGE GRANTS ARE PROPOSED

Washington—Bills introduced in congress include one by Representative Gossett, democrat, Texas, providing that federal grants to individuals under the old age assistance programs be equal, regardless of the amount their respective states participated in the program.

Back the attack with Bonds!

SGT. FRANK CHERNOSKEY DIES MAR. 21

Killed In Action

LIEUT. SAM TYSON

LIEUT. SAM TYSON IS KILLED IN ACTION

Lieut. James Samuel Tyson, bombadier, United States Army Air Corps, based in England, reported missing in action over France since February 13, 1944, was killed in action.

The War Department late Tuesday in a telegram to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tyson, parents of Lieut. Tyson, annoucned their son had lost his life in action. The telegram was signed by the Secretary of War, Henry L. Stimson.

Information concerning the fate of the missing flyer since February 13th came through the International Red Cross out of Germany. The government in Germany under war conditions communicates information concerning flyers to the Red Cross and the information in turn is relayed to the government.

Lieut. Tyson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tyson, was born and reared in Cameron. He went overseas in November 1943, with a group for combat, a bombadier aboard a Boeing B-17 Flying Fortress. In letters to his parents here he had told of the enjoyable flight across the Atlantic. Little information has come regarding the extent of Lieut. Tyson's operations in combat, due to military secrecy, but it is known he had been so engaged with frequency in the sacrificial days preceding his death.

Lieut. Tyson was a graduate of Southwestern University, Georgetown. He was home in October to visit with his parents and friends for a few days before returing to the air base at Harvard, Neb.

Recently Lieut. Tyson was awarded the Air Medal in England, news of the award having come after he had been reported missing in action.

It was expected that a letter giving additional details concerning Lieut. Tyson's death would follow as soon as information is made available to the War Department.

G. A. McDermott Giver of Piano For McClosky Wounded

G. A. McDermott has given a piano from the McDermott home in Cameron to the wards now being furnished from Milam county in the McClosky hospital at Temple.

Recently Mrs. F. C. Fahrendorf asked The Herald to make an appeal for a piano, bicycle and other items to complete the furnishings in wards 39 and 40. Mr. McDermott came to the Herald plant Saturday and gave the piano.

So far as known this is the largest and most magnificent gift yet made by an individual to the furnishing of the wards where the wounded boys are being nursed back to health. The piano will be indispensible to the home life being arranged for these men and Mr. McDermott has already been thanked by Mrs. Fahrendorf and now the Herald wishes to add its expression of appreciation for his generosity and great help at a time when it was most needed.

Miss Gladys Louise Nelson and Pvt. Herbert Henry Brinkman, were married Wednesday afternoon with Judge Jeff T. Kemp reading the service. They will make their home in Cameron, with Pvt. Brinkman coming in on week ends from Camp Hood.

NEW GUIENA BATTLE INJURIES ARE FATAL

Tech Sgt. Frank C. Chernoskey with a unit of dismounted cavalry and for nine months in the South Pacific area of combat, is dead of wounds sustained in battle at Finschafen, New Guiena, it was announced here Tuesday by his brother, Joe Chernoskey of Ben Arnold.

A telegram from General Ulio, Adjutant General of the army in Washington, was received at 3 p. m. Tuesday by Mrs. Rosa Chernoskey, mother of Sgt. Chernoskey. The message from General Ulio was as follows:

"The Secretary of War asks that I assure you of his deep sympathy in the loss of your son, Technician, Fifth Grade, Frank C. Chernoskey who died on March 21, in Finchafen, New Guiena, as a result of wounds received in action."

Sgt. Chernoskey, born at North Elm, had made his home near Ben Arnold with his mother and two brothers, for a number of years before he volunteered for service. He was 30 years of age, born February 22, 1914. On September 30, 1940, he arrived at Fort Ringgold, Texas, for duty with the 12th Cavalry. In February of 1941, he was transfered to Fort Bliss. While at Fort Bliss, near El Paso, he was transfered to school in June of that year, reporting to Fort Riley, Kansas. He returned to Fort Bliss and remained there until June 1943, when he left for the South Pacific.

Sgt. Chernoskey, shortly before he left for the battle area, was at home on a visit with his mother and brothers at the farm home near Ben Arnold. He had made a number of visits home during the period of his training, read The Herald and kept in touch with the news.

After completing his school Sgt. Chernoskey was declared one of the best equipped men in the outfit that went into action against the Japs in New Guiena and went overseas with the distinction of having become a fine soldier. His death has profoundly affected many here and at his home in Ben Arnold.

Two brothers survive. They are Joe Chernoskey and Steve Chernoskey who operate the Chernoskey farm near Ben Arnold and have the care of their mother.

Joe Chernoskey brought the telegram of General Ulio to the Herald late Tuesday.

The following sisters survive: Mrs. Frank Tomek at Ad Hall; Mrs. Chas. Porubsky of Cameron; Mrs. Frank Malovets of Buckholts; Mrs. Gladys Hosch of Calif.; Mrs. Francis Hocha of Brenham; Mrs. Maggie Pavelka of Wyoming. Another sister resides in Houston but her name was not available.

J. C. Richardson is On Way to Prison.

J. C. Richardson of Milano, was delivered to Texas Prison Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Carl C. Black.

Richardson was convicted on a charge of assault with intent to murder in connection with an attack on his wife. Mrs. Richardson was severely beaten.

Criminal District Attorney Ed Gunn, prosecuted Richardson. An appeal was taken and the case was affirmed. Later a re-hearing was denied by the court and Richardson must serve.

Community Party at Buckholts Saturday Night; Junior Class

A community party will be held at the gymnasium of the Buckholts High School Saturday night, April 1, sponsored by the Junior Class.

A small admission charge will be made. The people are urged to attend this entertainment and enjoy the hospitality of Buckholts and the school.

The following Cameron people attended the American Legion barbecue at Rockdale Wednesday evening: Judge Jeff T. Kemp and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hicks, Mrs. Graham Gillis, W. A. Bonds, Emmett Streetman and wife, Misses Irene and Patsy O'Neill, Shirley Horstmann Loretta Polansky, Doris Stidham, Ray O'Neill and T. J. O'Neill.

RED ARMY 40 MILES FROM CZECH FRONTIER

Russia's incredible fighters stormed into the great Black Sea port of Nikolaev Tuesday sending its German defenders reeling back toward Odessa, and 200 miles to the west other Soviet forces were reported by Berlin to be assaulting the important rail center of Iasi, seven miles from the Prut inside pre-war Rumania.

The plight of Nazi forces remaining in Southern Russia was made almost desperate by the two blows. With Nikolaev lost, only Odessa, 75 miles away, remained as an escape port for Field Marshal Von Mannstein's shattered armies. The Soviet force attacking Iasi threatened to block the Germans retreat by land into Rumania.

Berlin's announcement that Iasi, a junction of railways leading to Odessa and to the Ploesti oil fields, was under assault meant that for the first time in the war Russian troops were fighting on pre-1941 Axis territory. Czernowitz, capital of Bucovina 115 miles northward of Iasi, also was under attack and was expected to fall at any hour.

On the first Ukranian front, Soviet troops driving toward Czechoslovakia captured the rail town of Gvozdets, 40 miles from the frontier, a Moscow communique said, and the Soviet troops were smashing toward the Tatar pass leading over the Carpathian mountains into Czecho-Slovakia.

G. W. BARCLAY FUNERAL IS SET FOR TUESDAY

(From Monday's Daily)

Funeral services for G. W. Barclay, former resident here, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Marek-Burns Funeral Home in Cameron with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Barclay, 67, died at his home at Weslaco, Texas, on Sunday afternoon. Many years ago he was a resident of Salem. He later moved to Waco and had been a resident of Weslaco for time. He was the oldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barclay of Temple.

Many years ago the family lived in Milam county, pioneers and prominent in local affairs. The community of Barclay in Bell county is named for the family. There is located the great Barclay ranch. His wife and one daughter preceded him in death.

When funeral is held Tuesday afternoon the Masonic lodge will direct the services.

Surviving are two daughters, Elizabeth and Lucille. Two brothers, R. L. Barclay of Temple and W. F. Barclay of Waco survive.

Trustee Elections in Saturday, April 1st

Annual election of school trustees for Milam county will occur on Saturday April 1st.

Contests have developed at Buckholts and Burlington but generally over the county little interest was being shown. Trustees for Commissioners Precinct 1 and 2 are to be elected and a member of the Board at large from the county.

Mrs. P. O. Adams has returned to her home in Waco after visiting with friends here for a few days this week. She is the widow of the late P. O. Adams who for many years was in the mercantile business in Cameron before moving to Waco, where he engaged in selling for a mercantile wholesale house.

$9,418.80 RED CROSS TOTAL FOR COUNTY

The Red Cross War Fund reported late Wednesday $9,417.80 according to information telephoned the Herald by F. G. Blake, finance director for the drive.

The total lacks some $4,600 reaching the goal of more than $14,000 for the county. There were indications that the goal would be reached. The City of Cameron was yet to report and has the larger portion of the county quota. The figures reported Wednesday were understood to represent the cash in the banks from all communities reporting.

WYLE TOMERLIN DIES AT MARLOW SUNDAY

Wyle Tomerlin, pioneer resident of Minerva, died suddenly Sunday afternoon in the home of Morris Coward at Marlow.

Mr. Tomerlin died from a heart attack. A son, now in the navy was home on a visit and had gone with his father to Marlow to visit for the afternoon in the Coward home. He suffered the heart attack at 3:15.

Justice of Peace Womack Brashear held an inquest and rendered a verdict of death by heart failure.

The body was taken to the funeral home of Phillips & Lucky in Rockdale. Interment was to be made in the cemetery at Minerva, where his wife is buried.

Four sons of the family are in the armed services.

Dorothy Perkins Gets Assistantship in Philosophy at State

Miss Dorothy Perkins has been given an assistantship in the Department of Philosophy at the University of Texas, it was announced here Friday.

Miss Perkins graduated from the university with a BA degree 2 weeks ago and has been tendered the place on the faculty in the Philosophy Department. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Perkins of Cameron.

NOTICE TO PARENTS

The Annual Scholastic Census is being taken during this month. It is important that the name of every eligible child appear on the census roll so that the state apportionment of $25 per pupil will be paid to the school listrict in which that child resides. Eligible children are those between the ages of six and eighteen years. If a child will be six years old on or before September 1st, 1944, his name should be on the census roll. If a child will not be eighteen years old until after September 1st, 1944, his name should be on the census roll also. If your child has not been enumerated you should report this immediately to your school principal, trustee or County Superintendent.

H-D BROADCAST

Producing clean, wholesome milk will be discussed Monday, April 3, on the Central Texas Farm and Home Hour.. Dorothy Porter, County Home Demonstration Agent, will prepare the script.

This program is broadcast every Monday at 11:30 a. m. over KTEM. Home demonstration agents of Milam, Falls, Bell, Coryell and Williamson counties co-operate to furnish timely information.

Mrs. Seth Dees of Mathis, has returned to her home after an enjoyable visit with relatives and friends in Cameron.

Sgt. Andy Zriska of Camp Hood visited friends in Cameron Friday evening.

From a Sailor in the U. S. Navy Stationed in the Caribbean Area.

"It is not right for an election to be called at this time. It seems to me that a select few are taking advantage of a situation in an underhanded sort of way, of the many who have had to leave home and sacrifice everything that these few might live in security. You can take it from me that these boys are not fighting only for democracy and all that bally-hoo stuff, but are figthing to get back home and when they get there, they want to find the same things they left and used to enjoy. If they don't find it, the reaction will be a surprise to these would-be protectors of American Youth."

(Name of sailor on file at Herald.)

REDS BREAK THROUGH IN TARNAPOL SECTOR

Apart from the Tarnopol breakthrough, the most striking announcement of the night is the Soviet advance to Voznesensk, on the Bug river 50 miles above Nikolaev. There the Russians reported suburban street battles were in progress, while the work of clearing the Germans from the entire eastern bank of the Bug continued.

The latest phase of the bitter struggle for Cassino, Nazi stronghold defending the Roman valleys, raged through its eighth day today with battle-weary New Zealand troops still fighting at the town's southern edge and other Allied forces clinging stubbornly to several hard-won heights west of the town.

No important change of position had been reported since Tuesday, when German parachute troops were disclosed to have recaptured the wreckage of the Continental hotel. Some of the most desperate fighting swirled about the ruins of the hotel and several nearby buildings, five Nazi tanks having been destroyed in that locality.

The enemy threw two strong counterattacks against Castle hill, an intermediate peak only a few hundred yards from Cassino's western eadge, yesterday, but each time was thrown back with heavy losses. French artillery repulsed two other Nazi stabs near Monte Castellione, three miles nortwest of Cassino.

German artillery and mortars emplaced in the hills maintained a heavy fire on Allied positions and tried hard to destroy bridges that Fifth army engineers had thrown across the Rapido river, east of town.

Despite all Allied efforts of the past two months to break through into the Liri valley—and these have included five fierce attacks on the ground and the greatest tactical air assault in history—the Germans still hold the Cassino gateway firmly.

The town's natural defenses permit the Nazis to hold it with a comparatively small but determined force. While they have been bringing up fresh soldiers—some could be seen moving up a road in the distance today—there is no information here to support rear area reports of great German reinforcements in Cassino.

American heavy bombers with fighter escort blasted railroad yards at three key points in norteastern Italy yesterday—Verona, Bologna and Rimina — through which German armies on the Italian fronts are being supplied, and last night RAF Liberators and Wellingtons smashed rail yards at Padua with 4,000 pound block busters.

Strong forces of American bombers, following up a record 3,360 ton bombardment of Frankfurt by the RAF last night, carried out a sweeping series of daylight attacks against five other German targets today, and a powerful escort of fighters shot down at least 20 enemy planes as the Nazi air force came up in strength to battle.

Miss Janett McIntyre of Alpine, is here on a visit with her aunt. Miss Aetna Smith. Her mother, Mrs. Vernon McIntyre, who has been spending three weeks in Marlin, will arrive here Wednesday for a few days visit before returning to her home.

Louis Zavrel of Marakville shopped in Cameron Tuesday.

J. T. Howard of North Elm was a business visitor in Cameron Wednesday.

Cameron Soldier Now Fighting In Pacific Opposes Dry Election

To the desk of the Herald publisher early Friday came a letter from a Cameron young man now serving with the armed forces in the South Pacific.

In view of the current effort to revive prohibition in the absence of so many men now fighting abroad, it is worthwhile to reproduce a paragraph from this letter which is as follows:

"Received some papers from home and not that two ministers will hold a prohibition meeting on the court house lawn. I think you men back there are falling down on the job. If you let them put that over on us while we are away you will have to make home brew for us when we return and I don't mean maybe. It is a dirty trick and I've got plenty of buddies to back me up in what I say.'

This young man was prominently identified with business before he volunteered and his name is not published but the letter is on file and can be verified.

One of the issues involved in prohibition election is whether upon a question so vitally affecting the liberty of the citizen a vote should be taken in the absence of the men who should have a voice on whether these freedoms should be altered.

Miss Annie Mae and Frances Gavrel shopped in Cameron Friday.

TRACY-SHARP 4-H CLUB MEET

The Tracy-Sharp 4-H club met Friday, March 17, 1944, in the Sharp H-E building. The meeting was called to order by the President, Nora Overman. The minutes and roll call were read by the secretary, Virginia Belle Charles. Motions were made that Helen Elaine Garner and Emma Alyne Alexander join the 4-H club, motion carried.

Miss Cook gave a demonstration on arranging flowers and vegetables as to center pieces and the kind of vases and bowls to use. Booklets were handed to each member, then the meeting was adjourned.

Ruthie Jean McDavid, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Meyers of Houston visited their mother Mrs. Lou Meyers over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hester and son are in Goldthwaite for a few days visiting relatives and friends.

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EDGAR HOOVER
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"Prohibition brought about a false set of conditions which sent the ex-convict, the crook, the burglar, the thief, and the murderer into our homes and to our firesides in the guise of the bootlegger and weakened the public morals to an extent that duties . . . and certain fundamental and traditional policies were forgotten."—J. Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, address before Penn Athletic Club, Philadephia,

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PHONE NO. 2. "WE HAVE IT!"

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More and more the people are thinking of Security in terms of future safeguards. There was a time when America was a frontier and security meant something else. Now in this modern year of 1944 we know how necessary it has become to think in terms of money saved and wisely invested.

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Here's One Of the Best Home Ways To Help Build Up Red Blood!

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Taken as directed—Pinkham's Tablets is one of the *very best* home ways to get precious iron into the blood. Just try them for 30 days—then see if you, too, don't remarkably benefit. Follow label directions. *Worth trying!*

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RED ARMY SWEEPING THROUGH OLD POLAND

The Russian Army has broken through Hitler's eastern dike at another point. Moscow announced last night, engulfing 400 more towns and villages in a four day rampage below outflanked Tarnopol in per-war Poland and sharply increasing the threat of entrapment to thousands of German troops in the southern Ukraine.

In an order of the day Marshal Stalin said Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's first Ukrainian army had smashed forward 62 miles and captured Zaleschiki in the southeastern corner of old Palond, as well as the bitterly defended Nazi base of Chortkov, 40 miles south of Tarnopol. Another Soviet column, Moscow said, was within 15 miles of the Prut river, which the Russians consider the true boundary of Rumania.

The Russian midnight communique declared 20,000 Germans had been killed and 3.500 captured in the four day offensive, and that Red army columns by-passing Tarnopol had cut the railroad between the Nazi srong-hold and now in Poland. The Soviets also announced the capture of Voznesensk, 50 miles northwest of the Black sea port of Nikolaev, whose German garrison is threatened with annihilation. Other Russian forces were reported fighting in the outskirts of Proskurov.

A front dispatch from the Tarnopol-Proskurov area said German and Rumainian troops were fleeing in wild confusion, abandoning their equipment. The Russians announced officially they had captured 300 German tanks and self-propelled guns in that sector.

Marshall Terry of North Elm was a Cameron visitor Thursday.

Alfred Walschak of Buckholts was a Cameron visitor Thursday.

Splendid Response To Bicycle Fund Is Assuring Success

So splendid has been the response to the appeal for funds for a bicycle to be used in the rehabilitation wards at McClosky that success is assured. The Herald acknowledges with gratitude the following contributions.

Mrs. Maude Chambers whose son was wounded in North Africa, has contributed $1.

S. A. Cottle, owner of the Milam Hotel and veteran of world war one has sent in $5. He knows the need for aid to the wounded because he saw what happened in the first world war.

Emmett Streetman, world war vetteran and Legion leader, sent in $5 and word that if any more is needed, just say the word. Such generosity makes this appeal successful.

Mrs. Adolph Winfield who has always been an active Red Cross Worker, has sent in $2.

R. G. Grabein, veteran of World War One, sends in $2 and like other veterans knows that money thus contributed cannot be better spent.

M. G. Cox came in with the largest contribution thus far. He gave $10 with the statement that he had just learned of the fund and wanted a share in the worthy effort. Mr. Cox has the gratitude of every wounded boy in Wards 39 and 40.

A good friend gives $5 and says it must be annonymous. None have wanted publicity but it is helpful to be able to tell who is giving. But we respect this fine, annonomous old pistol pocket friend.

We are especially grateful also to Mrs. E. H. Ross who wanting a share has sent in $1 to the bicycle fund.

Mrs. F. C. Fahrendorf was deeply impressed by the generosity of the people who have responded to this call. Money appears to be coming in for both the new bike and some installations on the gymnasium model

MAMIE A. HEFLEY

INSURANCE

THE VERDICT OF THE YEARS IS SATISFACTION

"Time Tried and Fire Tested"

INSURANCE IS NOT AN EXPENSE—IT IS AN INVESTMENT IN SECURITY!

HOME-FRONT PILOT...

Boy with a Kite

This spring it is more important than ever before that youngsters fly their kites *away from electric lines*. . because, not only will this keep kite-flying a SAFE sport, but also, it will help in the war effort by preventing accidents and by helping to prevent unnecessary interruptions in electric power service.

In flying your kite, be a home-front pilot and always remember to observe these safety rules:

1. Fly your kite in open spaces . . . free from electric service lines.
2. Do not use metal or wire in your kite or kite strings.
3. If your kite should get tangled in electric wires, do not climb the pole or try to get the kite loose with a pole or stick. Call your electric service company!

TUNE IN *"Report to the Nation"* EVERY TUESDAY EVENING at 9:30 o'clock over KBLD, KTBC, KTSA, or KWFH

TEXAS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

Our Local SCRAPS Won't Whip JAPS

The Japanese and German propaganda agencies are quick to take advantage of every opportunity to create dissension between various groups of American people whether over the question of so-called prohibition or any other question which would promote disunity in America.

They are smart enough to know that if we are engaged in local squabbles we cannot devote our undivided attention to our National War Effort.

As proof of the truth of the foregoing statement your attention is called to an article appearing in Readers Digest entitled "Boston Makes War on Rumor," from which the following is quoted:

> "The Reverend Walton Cole, Boston Unitarian pastor, makes a hobby of listening to the German short wave radio and recording high spots. More than half the stories reported to the Rumor Clinic, he finds, were told on the Axis radio a week or two earlier * * *
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> **"*German propaganda's attempt to take advantage of every cleavage in American life is shown by its EFFORTS TO PROMOTE PROHIBITION. All at once Boston mothers began to ask the Rumor Clinic about widespread drunkenness in Army camps. A checkup of the German shortwave radio showed that it had begun a week or two before, to pour out false stories about Army-camp drinking and to urge mothers to have liquor taken from men in the armed forces."**

It is an old trick of enemy propagandists to try to weaken the moral of the fighting forces by making them believe that their loved ones at home are being untrue while they are gone or that their rights are being taken away from them while they are fighting the battles for freedom and liberty. Destructive propaganda is doubly effective when they can actually prove that the rights of these men are being taken away from them in their absence by people who cloak themselves as guardians of the soldier's welfare.

LAURENCE R. MELTON, a veteran of World War One and National Commander of the Disabled American Veterans, in speaking of a proposed prohibition election, had the following to say:

> "Issues involving the economic life of our soldiers, sailors, marines, nurses and all the uniformed branches, by all of the rules of justice and fair play, should be left until such time as our fighting men and women can have a voice in their solving.
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> "The stay-at-homes of World War One attempted to write the peacetime economic life for their soldier and sailor boys. **The years that followed saw the birth and flowering of racketeering; homes in the nation, from the humblest cabin on the river's bank to palaces atop the highest hills, were tainted because the economic life of millions had been changed FOR THEM and NOT BY THEM."**

Instead of doing the very thing **the Axis propagandists** would have us do we should—on prohibition, as well as other issues—**follow the leaders of our American military forces. It is a significant fact that prohibition was imposed during World War One with the consent of the military leaders who were then willing to try it as an experiment.**

A UNITED FRONT WILL

Later **GENERAL PERSHING ACCURATELY** appraised conditions:

> "I am convinced that prohibition has largely financed this post-war underworld of ours, "said Gen. John J. Pershing in 1932. "Thus a criminal army has been built up which defies the very government itself."

It is more significant that our military leaders of today are unalterably opposed to prohibition.

PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, present Commander-in-Chief of all armed forces of the United States, called for Repeal and carried out the abolition of Prohibition as one of his first emergency measures.

GEN GEORGE C. MARSHALL, Chief of Staff of the Army of the United States, imploring Congress against Prohibition, said "considerable success" had been attained under legal control for military personnel. "This manner of control has been found to be far more effective than strict prohibtion which furnishes a fertile field of bootleg operations."

HENRY L. STIMSON, present Secretary of War, recently told Congress that "the War Department is convinced that temperance cannot be attained by prohibition" and that "experience has proved that the problem can only be solved by the application of practicable and tolerant measures applied in a logical manner." Speaking for the Army, he said it would be regretable to "destroy the advancements made and return to the Department the difficult problem of combatting bootleg operations."

MAJ. GEN RICHARD DONOVAN, Commander of the Eighth Corps Area which includes Texas, spoke against local prohibition in a Houston Chronicle interview. "Liquor is NOT a serious problem for the Army," he said. "The soldier is an adult, and presumably, if he is old enough to fight for his country, he is old enough to make the decision for himself whether he will drink or not."

These, the men who direct our battles along with others in high command, point out that existing laws, civil and military, are adequate to meet any related problems that might arise. **President Roosevelt, by executive order, could impose Prohibition, and any military commander can do it at any time for any spot or area for the soldiers within his command.**

Shall we follow the great leaders of our nation during the time of war or unwittingly play the game of our Axis enemies?

***—Blackface and underlines ours.**

VOTE "AGAINST PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES"

ON SATURDAY APRIL 8, 1944

Milam County Legal Control Forces

THE CAMERON HERALD

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CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 24.356 miles of Seal Coat from 1.5 mile East of Buckholts to Cameron; from Little River to Milano; from Rockdale to Lee County line on Highway No. US 190, St. 36 and US 77, covered by M 185-3-3, M 185-4-7, M 211-1-7, in Milam County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 10:00 a. m. April 11, 1944, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer" "Workmen" or "Mechanic"	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)
Shovel or Crane Operator	$8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Roller, Tractor or Blade Operator	4.00
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Truch Driver (over 1 1-2 ton)	4.00
Fireman	4.00
Weigher	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1-2 tons and less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Watchman	2.80
Water Boy	2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

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WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, 1925 model, 2 row buster and 2 side disc plows, good condition. Also two good work mules. Frank Kopriva, Rt. 2, Buckholts. 49-3tp

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A reduction in price of $2 per 100 on all Ideal Chicks booked now for delivery after April 15th. Several hundred started pullets and straight run chicks on hand now at day old prices. Day old cockerels now going at 2 1-2 cents each. Purina and Ful-O.-Pep feeds. Poultry remedies, founts and brooders. See us for all of your poultry needs. Ideal Hatchery & Poultry Farm, Cameron, Texas. 51-2tc

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About 25 to 75 acres land suitable for pecans, peach orchard, pasture and some under cultivation. Must have buildings with electricity, water, natural gas or Butane Gas.

Also want 3 to 4 bedroom residence, close to school. Reply to the Cameron Herald. Will he held strictly confidential.

DRAFT EXEMPTED—Man wanted with some experience in handling to operate small stock farm near Rockdale. White man prefered but will consider colored or Mexican who is able and willing to work. Wark not hard but confining and mainly feeding, breeding and pasture improvements. No fancy but good living wage paid monthly. Piped water and convenient barns, etc. House, garden, chickens and cow provided. If interested see me at once. W. E. Gaither, Rockdale, Texas. 51-2tc

FOR SALE—3 registered and 3 grade Hereford bulls, all young. Priced low for quick sale. Ellison Bros., Rosebud, Texas, Rt. 2. 51-4tc

WANTED—Place as teacher in Elementary school as substitute for remainder of term. Mrs. Lon Peeples, Milano. 1tp

FOR SALE—Choice Bunch of young Jersey cows. Phone 528, Charlie McDermott. 51-1tp

WE have endeavored to treat everybody alike while our stocks of hulls and meal were depleted, but since grass has risen, we have managed to collect a surplus of hulls and meal and anyone can now get it at the Oil Mill. Cameron Cotton Oil Campany. 51-2tc

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Gause Red Cross Drive Doubles

The Gause community Wednesday was reported to have exceeded its quota by an oversubscription that may have established a record in the current War Fund drive of the Red Cross.

F. G. Blake, finance director for the Red Cross, telephoned the Herald shortly after noon Wednesday to announce that with a quota of $475 that Gause had reported a total collection of $780.

Mrs. M. A. Chambers and daughter visited relatives and friends in Dallas over the week end.

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MT. ZION PASTOR CHALLENGES STATEMENT AGAINST PROHIBITION

Dear Citizens of Milam County:

I wish to call your attention to an article written in Buckholts. I quote from the article: "Prohibition has repeatedly been tried unsuccessfully; experience shows that you cannot stop people from drinking by passing a law, any more than you can make people honest by passing a law to that effect." No, and you cannot stop people from murdering one another and stealing from each other by passing laws to that effect either. Would you then say repeal the murder laws? Repeal the theft laws? Would you say let men come out in the open and do their murdering because they are going to do it in the dark alleys anyway? What you or I or anyone else may think does not make a thing right. I shall not have to answer for another's crime.

Continuing, it stated, "Also, under legal sale of alcoholic drinks, because it is legal, very few people relatively speaking, mis-use drink by becoming intoxicated." If only one man in America drank to excess and became intoxicated on the stuff and went home and slashed up his wife, I would says that is one too many and as a man of God, I shall fight it until I die! But I am sorry to remind that the "relatively few" mentioned is not the case. Would you call an army of 60,000 men filling a drunkards grave each year "relatively few"? A Readers Digest survey tells us that 80 per cent of all the students in our colleges and universities in the central and mid-west states are social drinkers—not drukards—just occasional drinkers. But along comes the American Medical Association, composed of the highest ranking doctors of our land, and says that at least 25 per cent of all under the age of 25 years who drink intoxicating liquor will eventually become addicts - drunkards, if you please. I trust you were not referring to that vast army of young people when you mentioned your "relatively few" statement. - Yes, I would say "relatively few too many!"

I shall mention only one other statement in the reference to the evils of bootlegging. "The purchaser often gets an unknown brand of bad liquor that may be improperly distilled and insufficiently aged and may produce highly dangerous and poisonous intoxication, sometimes resulting in death. Don't prohibitionists then bear part of the blame for such deaths?"

In the first place, if a man is fool enough to buy and drink that poison rot-gut, it ought to kill him. This old world would be a safer place without him, and may I remind you that he was one of your "relatively few" who drank to excess—multiply that by 60,000 each year and you have a "relatively few more."

And now as to blame for such deaths. Who, is to blame for all the crime, all the decay, all the degeneracy, all the delinquency, all the demoralization, all the deaths, broken homes, widows and orphans that were caused under the influence of legal liquor? Yes, I will gladly assume whatever blame God sees fit to place upon me for the deaths caused by Prohibition. Can those who defend legal liqour say the same.

Signed,
DWIGHT L. BAKER,
Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church.
Rt. 3, Rockdale, Texas.

(This communication is admitted to publication at space rate.)

Miss Barbara O'Neill of Brownsville has arrived here to visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo O'Neill. She has been employed in a responsible place with the Civilian Aeronautical Asscoiation field at Brownsville.

Pvt. Erwin Pugh who is in the army, stationed in San Diego, Calif., is in Cameron visiting his wife, Mrs. Florence Pugh, and his mother, Mrs. B. F. Pugh and other relatives and friends. Pvt. Pugh has been in the service for the past year and this is his first time to get a furlough. He has a 15 day leave.

Mrs. Olive Todd Walker is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Hefley and family in San Antonio.

Sgt. Joe Wylsik of Camp Hood was a Cameron visitor Wednesday evening.

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STAFF SGT. KENNETH HOUSTON

Somewhere in England with the pre-invasion Air Forces now serves Staff Sgt. Kenneth Houston. Before going overseas he spent six months in training in the Army Air Corps. He received his basic training in Kerns, Utah, and further training in Seattle, Washington and Rapid City, South Dakota.

Sgt. Houston has received the good conduct ribbon and the Mechanic's award in the Air Corps.

Sgt. Houston is the son of the late L. H. Houston and Mrs. Ed. Schostag of Glidden, Texas. His wife, the former Miss Glendola Sprott, formerly lived here. Sgt. Houston was born and reared in Buckholts.

Assault to Murder Charge Filed Against Jack Dockery Here

Criminal District Attorney Ed Gunn said shortly after noon Friday that he had filed charges of assault with intent to murder, against Jack Dockery who is being held for a knife attack on Mrs. Dockery in their home Tuesday night.

Dockery, still in jail, has not asked for an examining trial, said Mr. Gunn. Wednesday the office of the District Attorney was undecided on charges but later in the day when an investgation was concluded charges of assault with intent to murder were filed.

Mrs. Dockery, according to information Friday, was in Cameron Hospital and will recover. Indications were, it was said she might lose use of her left arm.

Mrs. Hallie Jones Wofford is expecting her son, Nat. B. Wofford of Port Arthur the last of this week. He will have a few days vacation and will spend them here with his mother. Nat holds a responsible position with a large business firm in Port Arthur.

Mrs. Ronald Short and small son have arrived in Lakehurst, N. J., where they will make their home for a short time with her husband Cpl. Ronald Short.

W. A. Beal has been confined to his bed for four weeks with an attack of asthma, but is reported to be getting better and hopes to soon be able to get out.

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Mrs. Lloyd Sanford and son of Marlow were Cameron visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Terry were Cameron visitors Thursday. Mrs. Terry who has been ill for several months is well on the road to recovery and looks fine. Her many friends and relatives are happy to know that she is well again.

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S|Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Stanislaw and baby daughter of Brownwood spent the week end in Cameron with relatives and friends.

Cpl. Louis Beinevenue of North Camp Hood visitd his wife and baby in Cameron over the week end. She is the former Louise Watterson.

Mrs. Edgar Love of Temple and Mrs. W. W. Culver of Houston visited relatives and friends in Cameron over the week end.

Sgt. Tommy Ranalli, accompanied by Pvt. Sam Fererra of Camp Hood arrived in Cameron late Tuesday evening for a short visit with their many friends in Cameron.

Mrs. W. H. Wallace of Rusk has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Solomon.

Mrs. Ike West visited in Waco last week.

Miss Lucille Dorner of Burlington, has returned home from Newton Memorial Hospital, following an operation.

H. T. Clifton has returned home from Newton Memorial Hospital much improved.

Capt. Ernie Ballinger of Camp Hood was a Cameron guest over the week end.

Adolph Winfield has just returned home from Waco where he has served on the Federal Jury for 9 days.

Mrs. O. A. Beard is reported recovering nicely in Newton Memorial Hospital following an operation.

Mrs. Theresa Robinson who holds an important position at McClosky Hospital in Temple, spent the week end here with relatives.

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Electric Iron Cords	$1.25
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Red Arrow Aspirin, bottle of 100, box of 5 both for	39c
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PHONE NO. 2. "WE HAVE IT!"

From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

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"Never can tell when things'll come in handy," says Dan.

And you should see his attic! Stacks of paper, balls of string, empty bottles (Dan being a moderate man and sticking just to beer), old horseshoes—and goodness knows what-all.

We used to kid him a lot. But then comes the scrap drive, and Dan sets a record for the metal and the paper he contributes. And the glassmakers owe him a medal for the empty bottles he turns in.

From where I sit, Dan's one up on us all. What's more, he's got us doing it too—collecting scrap, returning empty bottles—not because somebody *makes* us do it, but because it's the Democratic way of working together to win the war.

Joe Marsh

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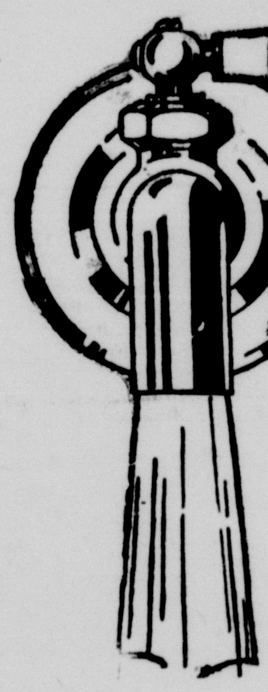

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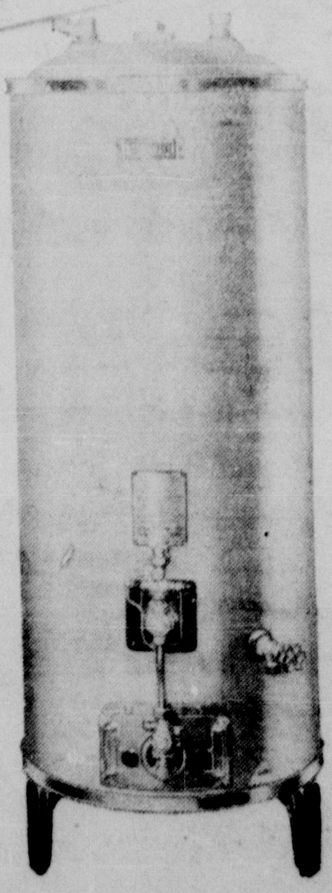

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Former Cameron Boy Writes From New Guiena; Jungle Creeps Back Over Battle Scars and The Brave Sleep Well Amid the White Crosses

In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Krull of Dayton, Texas, Sgt. Edmund F. Krull tells of his trip to Australia and his participation in the various battles which took place during the first months of the New Guinea campaign. The letter is as follows:

"I haven't mentioned this before because of strict censorship, but now it has let off a little, so I'll mention a few things that I hadn't before.

"I came across on the ship "Queen Elizabeth" and believe me it's a beautiful ship. I sure would like to ride on this kind of ship in peace time.

"My first camp was in Seymour, Australia. As you know I was in New Guinea for six months or more and I didn't like it at all. I flew over the Owen Stanley range three times in a transport plane. I enjoyed the ride as long as there were not any Jap planes around. We landed at Daberdura and from there the fight began until we reached Sanananda. I camped at Soputa for some time and there was the graveyard of the boys who died in battle. Some of them are my buddies which I'll never forget. If you were to see the graves, you would know that they are not the forgotten solider. This graveyard looks nicer than most of them back home. I'm sending a clipping which I cut out of newspaper telling just where I was and what took place."

Following is the clipping enclosed in the letter, about which Sgt. Krull writes:

"These days it's quiet in the Buna-Sanananda area. The jungle has grown again and the scars of battle are hidden beneath the vines and mould.

Along the Killedton Track you'll see a rusty, shattered 23-pounder barrel that was blown up one night by the Japanese in a gun-spiking raid. Further on there's a tall tree that was used as an observation post. A rotten ladder sags against the trunk with vines wined and twisted through the rungs.

"You come to another path branching off from the Killerton. Your guide tells you that it's the Sanananda Track. On either side of it the jungle presses in over pools of stagnant water lying in the ruts. Between the pools the grass is green and high.

"The guide says that twelve months back the Sanananda was a burnt and blasted desolation and men walked it with the stanch of death heavy in their nostrils, but now it is jungle again and the pillboxes and bunkers are slowly caving in.

"It is an uneasy, tragic place, the Sanananda Track. Not many people go there.

"Only at Saputa, a few miles away, is there evidence of the bloody struggle that raged along and about the Track little more than year ago.

"It is a clearing in the jungle near the spot where Japanese planes bombed a hospital. Here, once, the kunai grass grew 10 feet high but now the grass is down and the clearing is smooth and bare except for the little crosses standing in order rows."

Jungle Graves

"Most of them mark the graves of the men who fell at Sanananda. You feel no sandness at the sight of this, their last parade ground. There is peace here, and quiteness and beauty. The cenetery is hedged with mass of flowers, deep red and golden, grown from seeds collected in the jungle.

"In the rich, hot sunlight the crosses gleam startingly white. The lieutenant in charge tells you the grass seed is being sent from the main land to be planted on the graves. Soon the dead will sleep beneath a soft green mantel from their own country.

"Slowly you walk between the plots. Inscribed on each simple cross is a name, a number and a unit. Sometimes it is only "An undentified Australian soldier." Side by side are the graves of two brigadiers—they died within a few days of each other, one from illness, one from an aircraft accident. Officers, and men, infantry, artillery, cavalry are one here in the long comradship of death.

Native Dead

"You come to a plot where native boys lie buried. Faithful Fuzzy-Wuzzies, who under fire, carried supplies to the forward troops, brought out the sick and wounded—There are 64 of them who gave their lives during the campaign.

"Somehow you feel very humble as you stand there before their graves.

"The brave sleep well, you think as you walk back to the entrance. Not only here but in those other cemeteries at Port Morseby and Wau at Lea, Salamaua and Finschafen and the Owen Stanley's, for the Graves Reigstration Units tend them all with equal care.

You turn and look beyond the crosses to the joyous riot of flowers and beyond the flowers to the jungle, a dense wall of green silence. The trees stand closely massed like watchful sentinels about the dead.

"The jungle that was cruel to them is kind to them now."

JACK DOCKERY RELEASED ON $1,000 BOND SATURDAY

Jack Dockery, under charges of assault with intent to murder, has been released on bond of $1,000 it was announced at the office of the Sheriff.

Dockery was held for a knife attack on his wife who is in a local hospital. The office of the Criminal District Attorney has filed charges which will be considered by the May Grand Jury. Dockery was not placed under a peace bond as was first suggested by the authorities, instead he was released under the usual bond.

NEW RED ARMY THRUST SPLITS GERMAN ARMIES

The polish telegraphic agency said today that Polish underground leaders, acting on instructions from the Polish government in London, have ordered all their underground army commanders to establish contact with the Red army and co-ordinate military operations against the Germans.

In a swift drive which split the German defense line east of the Carpathian mountains, the Red army has crossed the Dniester river into the pre-war Rumanian and advanced to a point within four miles of the capital of Czernowitz, the third largest city of Rumania, Moscow announced last night.

Other advancing Russian forces fanned out to the west into southeastern Poland on both banks of the Dniester.

To the south in Bessarabia the Russians announced they had captured more than 100 places in the offensive toward Rumania proper, where German and Rumanian forces gathered themselves in 1941 for their invasion of the Ukraine.

Stalin himself announced capture of the German stronghold of Kamenets-Podolsk, 40 miles northeast of Czernowitz, whose encirclement was reported the previous day. Kamenets-Podolsk was a protective fortress for German troops fleeing southward from Proskurov, and with its collapse Russian forces threatened to close the escape on perhaps tens of thousands of Germans and to capture additional mountains of equipment and supplies. The German garrison of Kamenets-Podolsk presumably was being liquidated.

Monday's German communique indicated Russian forces on the central front were striking out again, driving toward Mogilev. The Nazis said they had killed 3,500 Russians and destroyed 39 tanks between the Dnieper river and Chausy. There was no confirmation from Mocsow of this new drive, but it bore the hallmark of Russian strategy that had all but hammered the Germans from Soviet soil.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield and daughter of Buckholts were Cameron visitors Monday.

Mrs. Henry G. Boedeker visited her daughter Maxine in Temple this week.

Mrs. Vada Welch of Houston has been visiting relatives and friends in Cameron.

Lt. Warren Brashear Receives Decoration For 20 Combat Missions

An Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal, signifiying the completion of twenty operational sorties over enemy-occupied continental Europe, has been awarded to 1st Lt. Warren H. Brashear of Cameron.

The 22 year old pilot of a P-47 Thunderbolt was a theatre manager before he joined the AAF as an aviation cadet. He took his primary flight training at Tulsa, Okla., basic at Enid, Okla., and advanced at Foster Field, Texas, where he won his wings on November 10, 1942. He was promoted to first lieutenant on December 21, 1943. He is a member of the group commanded by Col. Joe L. Mason of Columbus, Ohio.

Lt. Brashear's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Womack Brashear, live on East 13th Street, Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuchs of Buckholts were business visitor in Cameron Saturday.

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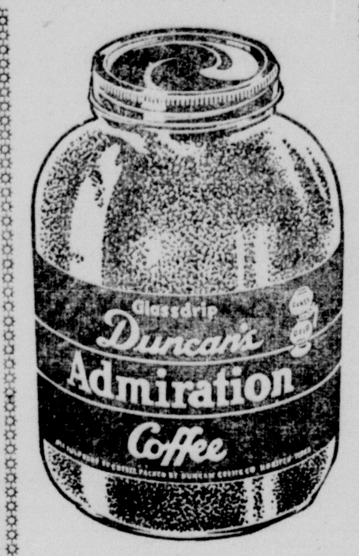

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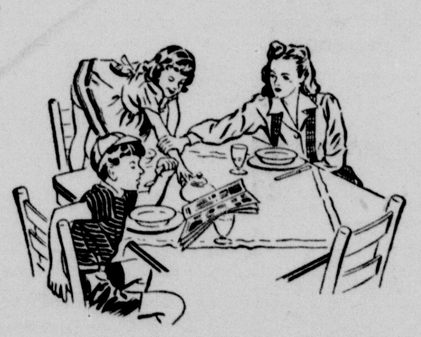
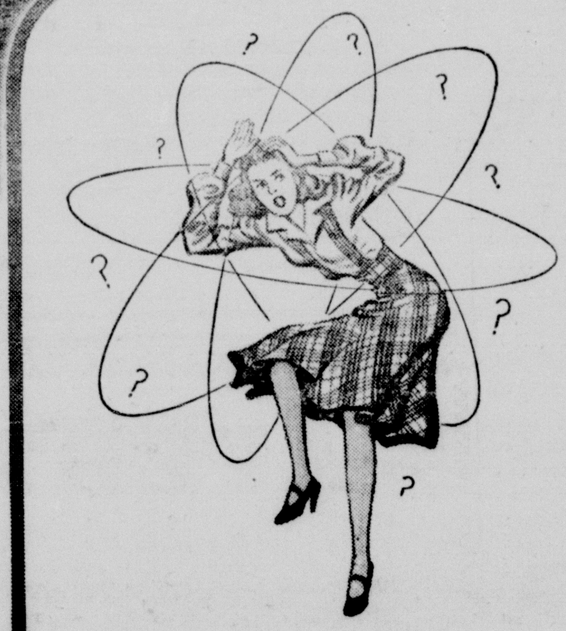


Of course give the little moppets coffee to drink! Not the way you drink it. No. Nor as a substitute for nutritional or essential foods. But a cup of delicious Admiration Coffee, diluted with milk or cream, is perfectly all right. Children tire of the taste of milk. Many mothers therefore use Admiration *in the milk* as an encouragement to drink quantities of milk.

Admiration, a blend of the choicest "mild" coffees, is frequently added in the proportion of half coffee and half milk. This is tempting to youngsters both in flavor and psychologically. Coffee is an "adult" drink to children. Admiration can also be used advantageously as a new and exciting flavor for custards, junkets and the like. No matter how you serve it, Admiration's thrilling flavor and richness are present—and enjoyed.



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As to the silly doubts—let's dissolve them with a word. Coffee does indeed contain caffeine. So does tea. And hot cocoa. And chocolate candies. And all the favorite cola drinks the little shavers gurgle every day. But caffeine is no more "harmful" in coffee than it is in any of these other daily favorites. So buy a pound of Admiration Coffee today—and give the kids a thrilling new experience.

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RED ARMY ON PRUT RIVER IN NEW DRIVE

Legions of the Soviet Union reached the Prut river frontier of Rumania on a 53-mile front yesterday, Moscow announced last night, adding a climatic new victory to the long series which has led them westward from Stalingrad to their own "state frontiers."

While the Russians sent their foes reeling ever backward, Prime Minister Churchill, in a pre-invasion broadcast to the world, said Soviet valor and generalship has "largely torn the guts out of the German army," warned of new trials to come and gratefully reviewed vast gains of the United Nations in the past year of war.

Just a few hours before Churchill spoke of the "prodigious blows" of the Britain-based air armadas, the American air force had delivered another one of them—a mass of perhaps 1,700 heavy bombers, medium bombers and Thunderbolts fighters filled the invasion skies of northern France, in a striking demonstration of the strength which Churchill said "enables us to send 1,000 (bombers) as often as the enemy can send 100 against us."

The Red army's advance to the Prut was hailed in an order of the day by Premier Marshal Stalin. It put Russian units into the shadow of the Balkan Carpathian mountains and marked a 60 mile advance from the Dneister river in a week.

The Russian nightly communique announced also that Tarnopol, in old Poland, a German strong point, and heavily garrisoned Kamanets Podolsk, important communications bootleneck in the western Ukraine, both had been encircled.

Rolling toward the Carpathians in the west and the Danube estuary in the south the Russians closed one rail route by the capture of the Bessarabian rail city of Byteltsi and were reported 20 miles from Iasi (Jassy.) In old Poland Soviet units stood 35 miles from the 1941 Bug river frontier between Germany and Russia. In lower Russia the trap on the Nikolaev-Odessa area was closing. Red army units had established a 50 mile invasion bridgehead on the upper Dniester river for a crossing into Bucovina.

The approach of the Red Army developed a race for position in the nervous Balkans. Hitler was reported rushing masses of armur through Hungary and Rumania in an effort to save at least the Ploestic oil fields.

Chevrolet Dealer in Houston for Meeting; Hears Good News

R. G. Grabein, Chevrolet Dealer in Cameron, has just returned from a meeting of area dealers in Houston.

While in the city Mr. Grabein heard good news. The Chevrolet Motor Company is making a limited number of trucks for civilian use. Mr. Grabein brought a new truck home for sale at his ageny.

The immediate future may not bring an appreciable relief to the truck shortage but Mr. Grabein believes that within a short time trucks will be available in at least limited numbers.

The Houston meeting was optimistic but the war demands must be met first.

Mrs. Willis Smith of Milano was a Cameron visitor Saturday.

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We Lose 83 Bombers In Berlin Attack; Air War Is Growing

The United States Army 9th Air Force in a heavy attack in Berlin Friday lost 83 bombers and a number of fighter craft, according to information reaching the Daily Herald Saturday.

There were no figures available to indicate the number of enemy planes shot down.

Targets in five areas of Germany were bombed in widespread operations Thursday by strong forces of Flying Fortresses and Liberators striking hard in the wake of a 3600 ton bath of fire and explosives heaped upon the city of Frankfurt Wednesday night by the Royal Air Force.

Twenty-seven bombers and six fighters were missing from Thursday's attacks involving probably 500 heavy bombers and nearly 1000 fighter planes.

Mrs. Velma Morris arrived in Cameron from Sweetwater Monday evening for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes and other relatives and friends.

Louis Faichtinger and family of Ad Hall were Cameron visitors Wednesday.

Pfc. Peter Kalinich visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs M. E. Weems and family over the week end.

GOODHUE BARCLAY IS BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday from the Marek-Burns Funeral Home for Goodhue Barclay who died at his home in Weslaco, Texas, Sunday, March 26th.

Mr. Barclay formerly lived in the Salem community. The family was prominent in this county in the early days. He was a relative of the late Goodhue Wilson, prioneer and also a relative of the Ledbetter family, also a pioneer faimly.

The Masonic lodge of which Barclay was a member conducted the services at the cemetery. Interment was made in Oak Hill Cemetery.

New Theatre Prices Go Into Effect Sat.

New Theatre prices were posted this week for local movie houses. The new rates go into effect Saturday April 1, due to increased federal taxes.

John Prude, manager of the theatres has arranged a schedule of child admissions lower than the old rates and no increase will occur on these admissions. The prices on adult admissions will be slightly higher but in no case are they burdensom.

The schedule is printed in full in an advertisement of the theatres in the Daily Herald.

Heavy Rain Falls And Cold Wave Due

A heavy rain began failing at 3 p. m. Tuesday and a cold wave was forecast for Wednesday.

Indications were that hail was falling in some sections.

Late Sunday a cold wave was forecast for Monday but did not materialize. The temperature was 52 degrees in Dallas Tuesday morning.

The rainfall was especially heavy and some hail fell in the city but no appreciable damage was reported.

WALLACE SCDLEMMER GETS HERALD IN THE ALEUTIANS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schlemmer of Belmena have received a letter from their son, Wallace Schlemmer, in the armed forces and stationed in the Aleutian Islands.

Wallace is receiving the Cameron Herald. It means much to the boys in service to get their home papers. Recently Schlemmer met Ralph Massengale and they had a long talk. Massengale's home is at Maysfield and he is in the Air Corps.

Rita and Dorothy Hertenberger of Ad Hall visited relatives and friends in Cameron Tuesday.

Sgt. Paul H. Williams who is now stationed at Camp Barkley spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Zavrel and daughter Nancy Jane visited in Rockdale Saturday.

Commissioner W. E. Kuzel of Buckholts was in Cameron Saturday afternoon. The recent rains have made a heavy demand on his men. He has done a fine job as commissioner under great handicaps in his first term and will be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Kuzel has just heard from his son, Edwin Kuzel who is in the Marines and in training at San Diego.

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Hospital, Nursing Benefits up to	150.00

Waiver of Premiums while confined in Hospital.

Double indemnity may be included for small additional cost.

The cost for above type of policy is very low—Shown below are monthly rates for various ages for different amounts of insurance:

Ages	$150	$250	$500	$1,000
10	.15	.25	.50	.90
20	.20	.30	.50	.95
30	.25	.35	.65	1.20
40	.30	.45	.85	1.55
50	.45	.65	1.25	2.30
55	.55	.85	1:65	3.10
60	.75	1.25	2.25	4.00

Rates at other ages are correspondingly low. Double Indemnity may be added for only 2c a month per $100 of insurance.

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ILLUSTRATION FOR FAMILY of 5 MEMBERS

1st death pays	$ 200.00
2nd death pays	250.00
3rd death pays	333.33
4th death pays	309.00
5th death pays	1,000.00
Total Insurance	$2,283.33

$1.00 PER MONTH COST

ILLUSTRATION FOR FAMILY of 4 MEMBERS

1st death pays	$166.66
2nd death pays	222.22
3rd death pays	333.33
4th death pays	666.66
Total Insurance	$1,388.87

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THEATRE ADMISSION TAX IS DOUBLED

Due to increased federal taxes theatre admission tax has been doubled.

The new tax while destined to produce millions throughout the nation for the war, will not materially affect local prices.

John Prude, manager of the Swift Theatres in Cameron, has announced the new schedule of taxes to go into effect on April 1st.

No increase has been made for children admissions and on the contrary has been reduced to 9c. Prices on adult tickets have been increased slightly.

The movies are still your best buy and 20 per cent of your movie money helps buy our victory.

Comedy, Romance of Washington, D. C., in "Government Girl"

A delightful romance laid against the exciting background of wartime Washington is "Government Girl," RKO Radio's new starring vehicle for Olivia de Havalland and Sonny Tuff's which comes to the Cameron Theatre Thursday and Friday.

Taken from the Adela Rogers St. John serial, the picture deals hilariously and romantically with two figures on the Washington scene, an experienced secretary who knows all the answers, and a two-fisted dollar-a-year man who disregards her warnings when he sets out to shove through a production plan regardless of anything.

The natural result is that he geats into plenty of hot water, and although he succeeds in getting his planes he also makes a flock of enemies among the politicians and the business men whose toes he steps on. The ensuing Senate investigation of his activities, his hectic romance with his secretary, a spy plot and the troubles of the secretary's roommate and her soldier-groom in search of a honeymoon, all complicate the whirlwind finish of this gay entertainment.

The sparkling Olivia turns in a charming performance as the alert secretary, a role she is eminently qualified to handle. The husky Tufts, with but one previous picture under his belt, is a real surprise as the bomber-builder, and he handled his part with an assurance that stamps him as one of the real acting finds of the year. Anne Shirley adds plenty of fun as Olivia's ever-hungry roommate. James Dunn returns to the screen to play her soldier-husband, while Jess Baker, Paul Stewart, Agnes Moorehead, Harry Davenport, Una O'Connor and Sig Ruman present outstanding portrayals in supporting roles.

Both in directing and in writing the screenplay Dudley Nichols has done a brilliant job.

HOYTE 4-H CLUB

The Hoyte 4-H Club met March 8. Ten members and the sponsor, Mrs. E. L. Peed were present.

Mrs. Peed gave a demonstration on Whole Wheat Muffins. Each girl is to make muffins at home and bring her score card to the next meeting which will be April 5.

Ruby Butler was elected reporter to replace Reba Coates who has moved.

On March 8 Lucille Cook Ass't H. D. Agent, met with the club. She gave an interesting demonstration on Flower Arrangements.

The club members had prepared an exhibit of articles made this year. Some of the articles exhibited were dresses, slips, skirts, handkerchief case, sock bags, laundry bags, napkins and shoe bags.

Mrs. Harold Pressley was a guest at this meeting.

San Gabriel Over Top In War Fund Drive of Red Cross

San Gabriel has exceeded its quota in the current Red Cross War Fund appeal, it was announced here Monday by Willard Chapman who is chairman of the committee there.

Mr. Chapman indicated that the community would raise additional funds and at present the quota has been exceeded.

No reports have been received from the county at large in several days. Cameron with a lions share of the county quota was lagging but was expected to over subscribe.

CHURCH NOTICE

Bible study next Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m., subject: "What a A Christian Ought to Be."

Preaching at 8:00 p. m., subject: "The Sin Against the Holy Ghost.

Ira Lee Sanders, Minister.

Miss Josephine Heftmancik visited relativse and friends Caldwell over the week end.

At Fort Stacy, Va.

PVT. JAMES J. MERRITT

Pvt. James J. Merritt has seen much of the United States in the past few months. He is now stationed at Fort Stacy, Va. He entered the army on March 19, 1943, and has served a year.

Reporting for duty, Pvt. Merritt was stationed first at Fort Sam Houston and was later transfered to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and after four months was transfered to Greenville, Pa. In the course of the succeeding days he was at Camp Edwards, Mass., and from there to Fort George B. Meade, Maryland.

Pvt. Thomas A. Merritt, a brother, died in a Japanese prison camp. He was in the artillery and was on Bataan when General Wainwright surrendered. His death was reported to have occured on July 1, 1943. He was first enlisted in the Coast Artillery Corps. He was born at Davilla on August 17, 1917 and would have been 26 years old in August 1943.

Both boys were reared in Cameron and sons of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Merritt now of Rockdale.

Mrs. Annie Eickett returned home Thursday from Newton Memorial Hospital much improved.

Jim Richards of North Elm was a business visitor in Cameron Thursday.

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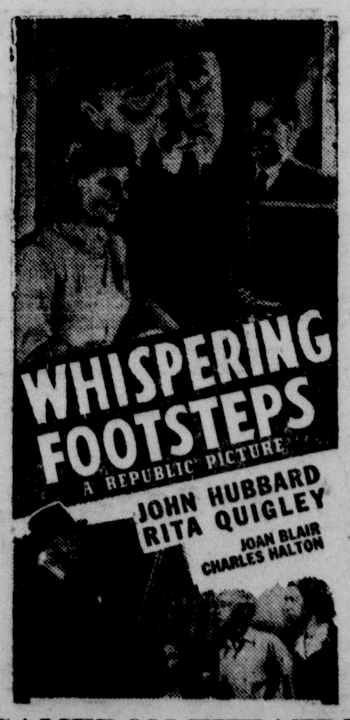

CAMERON THEATRE
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

Raymond Laywell is Promoted in England

Raymond L. Laywell, stationed with the Military Police detachment at an air base in England, has been promoted from Second to First Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Laywell, who has been in the Army six years, received a commission as a Second Lieutenant January 14, 1943. He has been stationed in England about 7 months.

His wife, the former Miss Madonna Smith of Macon, Ga., now is living in that city while Lt. Laywell is overseas.

In the States, Lt. Laywell was stationed at Camp Bowie, and Warner Robins, Ga. He was graduated from Officers Candidate School at Ft. Custer, Mich.

A brother, Pvt. Cecil Laywell, is stationed at Ft. Bliss. Another brother, Edwin Laywell, is attending school in Cameron.

Lt. Laywell was graduated from the Cameron High School.

Back the attack with Bonds!

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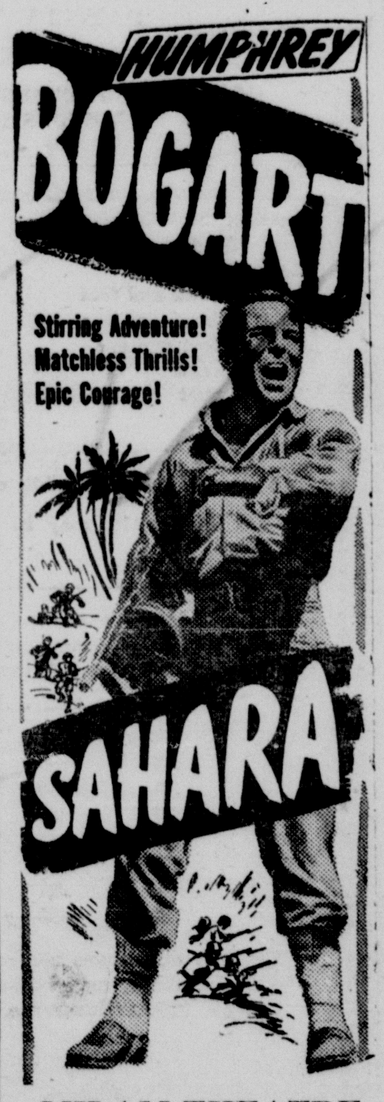

MILAM THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
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CARD OF THANKS

We want our neighbors and friends to know of our gratitude for their kindness during the illness and at the death of our dear wife and mother, Teresa Zarosky. We are especially grateful to the doctor, nurses and hospital for their kindness and consideration and to those who gave flowers to express their sympathy we are deeply thankful. We want each one to know of our sincere thanks.

Frank Zarosky, Sr.,
and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Pierce of Val Verde were Cameron guests Monday.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 1

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THE CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, APRIL 6 AND 7

Lieut. Karin J. Jensen, U. S. Army Recruiting for WAC's of Austin, paid an official visit to Cameron and signed up Misses Stella Whitley and Mary Ann Kostroun, of this county, who are now enroute to Fort Oglethorp, Ga., where they will take their basic training. Lieut. Jensen is from Conneticut, and has been in service for nearly two years, and likes the work.

Cpl. Johnnie Pernice, whose home is in Brooklyn, N. Y., now stationed at Camp Hood has been spending the week ends in Cameron for about eight months in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Richter. He likes Cameron so well that he has half-track truck named "Cameron."

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Fuller of North Elm were Cameron visitors Tuesday.

PRIVATE LIFE of a Capital Cutie...
who gets all tangled up in red tape and rosy romance!
Olivia DeHAVILLAND in "Government Girl"
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SONNY TUFTS
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